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**re application of:**

**Santosh Misra and William W. Kay**

**Application No. 10/719,623**

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**For: TRANSGENIC PLANTS THAT ARE  
RESISTANT TO A BROAD SPECTRUM  
OF PATHOGENS**

**Examiner: David Kruse, Ph.D.**

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**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

This responds to the Communication dated October 26, 2004. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 8.

**Remarks** begin on page 12.